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PROSECUTION READY
TO WEAVE A STRONG
WEB ABOUT WOODCourt Ruling Not to Let
Woolen Trust Go Free,
is Claim.

OUTSIDE CONFIRMATION NEEDED

Explosive Expert Occupies Stand All
Morning in Trial of Magistrate Accused
of Having Dynamite "Planted" to
Discredit Striking Textile Workers.

United Press Telegram.
BOSTON, May 21.—Connection between John J. Breen, the Lawrence undertaker, and Dennis J. Collins, the Cambridge dog fancier, who admit placing dynamite at various points about Lawrence during the recent textile strike in an effort to discredit the labor organization, will have to be shown by the state through independent sources, if the case against President William M. Wood of the American Woolen Company and Frederick A. Atteaux is to be continued. This decision was reached this morning in the result of a ruling made by the court.

Following the decision, the prosecution announced that the connection will be established through the means of checks and vouchers exchanged between the pair, and that the connection shown will be a strong one.

The first witness on the stand this morning was Walter L. Whitney, an expert on explosives who has been connected with the Boston fire department for more than 20 years. He testified that he had examined the dynamite shown him by the militia who secured the explosives "planted" about Lawrence by Breen and Collins, and that he found no sufficient quantity in the parcel shown him to cause a large number of deaths and wreck a great many buildings. He said that the dynamite dropped by Breen at the Lawrence station was of enough strength to kill every one in the immediate vicinity. The only reason the explosive did not let go when Breen dropped it was that it was frozen too solid.

A slight shiver went up the backs of some of the more timid court attendants when Whitney drew from a pocket three sticks similar to dynamite. A visible pallor that spread over the faces of the jurors disappeared when the witness explained that the sticks were made of wood, wrapped with dynamite coverings.

Col. J. C. O'Hearn, as example, Whitney explained the danger of dynamite. He went into the subject rather deeply and was on the stand the greater part of the morning. Both Wood and Atteaux followed the testimony of the witness very carefully.

Breen was the next witness to take the stand. His testimony was somewhat similar to that given by Collins yesterday, and in few details did he vary from the story related by his alleged accomplices.

Breen told of meeting Pitman and Atteaux in the latter's office, where plans for the planting of dynamite about Lawrence were discussed. As Breen was leaving the office he said Atteaux asked him if he was short of money.

"Yes," I replied. "It will have considerable expense in carrying out the plan." Atteaux then told me to meet him at the corner of Franklin and Washington streets at 5 o'clock, when he would give me plenty of cash.

Just before 5 o'clock Atteaux asked if I was on good terms with any of the policemen. I replied that I was. I told him that I was well acquainted with Inspector Rooney of the Boston police. Upon receiving this information, Atteaux ordered me to get in communication with him as soon as the explosives were planted and inform him that the strikers had hidden the dynamite about the mills.

Breen testified that after this conversation with Atteaux he went to Boston, where he secured the dynamite. While there he made an effort to get in touch with Inspector Rooney, but was unable to find him. Later he met Collins and told him that there was a job for him in Lawrence. Collins wanted to know what it was and the witness informed that it was placing dynamite about the town so as to tempt strikers on the strikers' undertaking, he said.

After returning to Lawrence, Breen called Rooney on the telephone and told him that he had knowledge that dynamite had been placed about Lawrence. The finding of the "planted" explosives followed.

The witness then told how he had been paid \$500 for the job. He said he met Atteaux in accordance with the latter's instructions. He said that he was standing on the street corner at Franklin and Washington streets, when Atteaux drove up in a taxicab. As he approached the witness he leaned from the window and dropped a package, which was \$500.

Later Atteaux explained that he took that method of paying him so that suspicion could not possibly become attached to him, the witness said.

Mount Olive Memorial Services, Colonial Elsworth, Post No. 200, G. A. R., of Scottsdale, and the Sons of Veterans, under the leadership of Post Commander Comrade James Wilson will hold memorial services on Decoration Day, in the Mount Olive United Brethren Church, at 2 o'clock. The Memorial Day address will be delivered by Rev. J. B. Kier.

Who's Smith? His Name's Dennis! for, You See, Miss Susanne Carroll, Southern Beauty, Will Wed "J. H."



MISS SUSANNE CARROLL

BALTIMORE, May 21.—Miss Susanne Carroll, a noted southern beauty, to whom Robert W. Chambers dedicated his recent novel, "The Guy Rebellion," is going to marry. The lucky man is Major John Phillip Hill, United States district attorney for Maryland. The engagement has just been announced. When "Mr. Chambers" dedicated his book to Miss Carroll he wrote, "I give it to Miss Carroll and 'Sister' in love. I do not fear for you, Susanne, have long since won my heart." Everybody now knows that "J. H." is Major Hill, but the mystery of "Smith" still remains. Of course, it doesn't make much difference now who "Smith" is. His name

is Dennis anyway. The wedding will take place in June and will be of interest not only to Baltimore and New York society, but also to many people in Europe, where Miss Carroll spent her childhood. Miss Carroll is a great daughter of Mrs. Tudor Carroll, who has shown a marked interest in New York during the last few winters. She is also a great-great-granddaughter of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, signer of the Declaration of Independence. Major Hill is a graduate of Harvard, a member of the Massachusetts Society of the Cincinnati, the Maryland Club and the Metropolitan Club of Washington.

BLAME RAILROAD MAN FOR
HEADWAY GAINED BY FIRERefused to Stop Cars Over Scales
When B. & O. Men Seek
Put Out Blaze.

While the occupant were away from home last night, the dwelling occupied by Mrs. Kate Koffler on Arch street was destroyed by fire of an unknown origin. The blaze started in one of the downstairs rooms, and before being discovered had gained considerable headway.

The fire was discovered by an employee of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, who turned in an alarm to the railroad firemen. When the latter attempted to cross the tracks at the scale house with their hose they were forbidden to do so by one of the officials, who refused to stop running cars across the scales while the firemen crossed the track. The firemen had two lines of hose across the track which were cut to pieces by freight which were being run.

In the meantime the blaze had communicated to the upper stories and soon the building was a mass of flame. An alarm was turned into the borough fire department, but when the chemical auto arrived, the house was beyond saving, and the firemen devoted their efforts toward saving the buildings in the neighborhood.

This morning Chief of the Fire Department John Haddick reported to the Baltimore & Ohio officials here the action of the official in the yards last night, who refused to permit the company firemen to fight the blaze. Chief Haddick thinks the building could have been saved had the firemen been permitted to fight the blaze when it was first discovered. It is understood that the insurance agent will also file a protest in behalf of the companies which must meet the loss. The house was owned by V. H. Sotson.

PLAN WEEKLY CONCERTS.

Connellsville Band Proposed to Open
the Season on Monday.

The Connellsville Military Band will open its summer season of open-air concerts at the band stand next Monday evening. Arrangements for the opening are complete, and if the weather is favorable the concert will be conducted as scheduled.

For several months the musical organization has been preparing for the opening of the summer concert season. Concerts have been held in the band room at city hall each week, and quantities of new music have been added to their list. Through the summer months it is the intention of the band to give concerts each Monday evening.

Report Clean O'Hearn.
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 21.—S. Sanders Walker, a young man who took his chlorides of mercury in mistake several days ago, is near death. His end is expected any moment. When he awoke this morning, he declared he was ready to die.

FEW CHANGES ARE MADE IN
NEW B. & O. TIMETABLESeveral Trains Given New Numbers
but Running Time Remains
About the Same.

Few changes are made in the Baltimore & Ohio passenger schedule for the Connellsville division, which went into effect at 12:01 A. M. Sunday. While several trains are given new numbers, only a few train changes their time of arrival and departure.

Train No. 14, running from Chicago to Baltimore and arriving here at 2:51 P. M., will be designated as train No. 15, with the same hour of arrival here. Express trains Nos. 45 and 47 will be known as Nos. 13 and 14 respectively instead of Nos. 46 and 47. The westbound train arriving here at 11:07 A. M., and the eastbound at 2:49 P. M. as usual.

The Interstate Special, which was put in service during the recent Ohio River flood, will be discontinued on this division. The train runs between New York and Chicago, the westbound arriving in Connellsville at 2:02 A. M. and the eastbound at 3:55 A. M.

Local trains Nos. 7 and 8 will be assigned Nos. 30 and 35, reaching here at 2:12 P. M. and 6:25 respectively. Trains 3 and 11 will have their numbers changed. After the new schedule goes into effect No. 3 will be known as No. 11 and No. 11 will be designated as No. 9.

Train No. 9 runs between New York and Chicago, and Nos. 11 between Baltimore and Cleveland. The Duquesne Limited will have the same schedule as heretofore. The new No. 11 will arrive at 6:32 A. M. Previously it was scheduled here 30 minutes earlier, at 6:02 A. M.

TEACHERS' TESTS

County Superintendent Announces
Dates for Examinations.

County Superintendent of Schools C. G. Lewellyn has announced the following dates for examinations for teachers for provisional certificates:

Cheat Haven, Tuesday, May 27; Farmington, Thursday, May 29; Chillicothe, Tuesday, June 3; Smithfield, Thursday, June 5; Edinburg, Saturday, June 10; Perryopolis, Thursday, June 14; Everson, Tuesday, June 17; South Brownsville, Wednesday, June 19; Normalville, Tuesday, June 24; Connellsville High School, Thursday, June 26; North Union High School Saturday, June 28; Uniontown Central building, Tuesday, August 26.

Walker Ready to Die.
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COMMISSION BILL
REPORTED TO THE
HOUSE FOR VOTEChanges in Committee Do
Not Affect Conditions
Here.

SALARIED OFFICERS HOLD OVER

Clipper Applies Only to Those Who Rec-
eive No Pay for Services; Loan-
Shark Bill Passes the Senate but
House Must Approve Changes Made.

Special to the Courier.
HARRISBURG, May 21.—The Clark bill providing a commission form of government for cities of the third class has been reported to the House by a subcommittee named to draft certain amendments. The amendments made in committee do not affect conditions here, if the measure becomes a law.

The bill has been changed to permit mayors, controllers and other salaried officers of third-class cities to continue in office until the first Monday of the following January.

In Connellsville the borough officials are serving until their successors qualify, the terms of Burgess Evans and other officers having expired. The Clark bill has been amended so that present mayors of third-class cities may succeed themselves.

The Loan-Shark Bill passed the Senate yesterday. The maximum charge permitted is 3 per cent a month, or 36 per cent a year. The House bill permitted a charge of 2 per cent a month, or 25 per cent a year, and the measure goes back to the lower body for concurrence. Licensees are required of pawn brokers.

The bill which will make it possible for any person to force the abatement of disorderly houses by prosecuting them as nuisances has passed the Senate and is now up to the Governor. The Public Utilities Bill, now in the Senate, may be amended in several important particulars. Senator Crowder has introduced a bill to cover the same subject, with Governor Tammie in mind to suggest changes, and it is expected the administration will work in harmony with the Senate to make the bill more efficient. It passed first reading this afternoon.

Among the hospital appropriations recommended to the House was that of \$27,500 for the Mount Pleasant Hospital.

Through the efforts of George Allen the bill introduced by Representative John L. Post, Washington County, requiring recorders of deeds to keep all documents open to newspaper men was defeated on that passage in the House, 84 to 35. Representative Allen declared it "none of the public's business" what deeds and mortgages were in the recorder's office.

The Snyder bill to safeguard certain rights, regardless of race, creed or color or descent, of final passage for yesterday, was postponed in the Senate by request of Mr. Duke of Franklin. Mr. Duke explained that he wanted to obtain the views of his constituents.

The regular and independent Republicans on the Senate election committee agreed today to report the bill, now pending. The Democrats then announced they would not press the resolution asking that the committee be discharged from further consideration of the measures.

Senator Biddleman this morning made a bitter attack on Vance McCormick, proprietor of a Harrisburg newspaper. He asserted that McCormick knew when he was elected mayor of Harrisburg in 1911 that a fund of \$32,000 had been collected to assure his election. He asserted that the money was carried to McCormick's office in a waste basket.

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Senator O'Gorman's Pretty Daughter
One of the Season's Most Interesting BridesTRAFFIC RULES FOR
MAIN STREETS ARE
PLAN OF COUNCILMembers Propose to End
Blockades Caused by
Vehicles.

15 MINUTES THE TIME LIMIT

Informal Discussion in Committee
Meeting Expected to Result in
Ordinance Which Will Benefit
Pedestrians and Eliminate Dangers.

Regulation of vehicle traffic on Main and Pittsburg streets is expected at an early meeting of Town Council following the informal discussion of the matter among several members following the police committee's session last night. Complaints have been made that the south side of Main street, from Meadowland to Brimstone Corner, and Pittsburg street from Main to Orchard Valley, are almost constantly blocked by automobiles and wagons. The principal objection is made against automobile drivers who have business down town and turn the streets into an open-air garage.

Borough Clerk A. O. Bixler was directed to examine the ordinances with a view to determining whether Council has power to act without passing a new ordinance. If existing laws do not cover the matter it is expected an ordinance will be introduced.

Members of Council who discussed the matter were of opinion that an ordinance should be put in force that would prohibit any vehicle from standing along Main or Pittsburg streets for a period of longer than 15 minutes at one time.

Several firms along Main street load their delivery wagons from the front of the stores, but the councilmen point out that this should be accomplished within 15 minutes without imposing any hardship upon the firms concerned.

However, the objection has not been so much against the business houses as it has been against automobile owners who permit their cars to remain for hours at a time along the street.

On Saturday nights, a solid bank of automobiles extend along the Main street block, and well down Pittsburg street. Councilmen believe that this is dangerous, because in event of a fire in the business district, the firemen would be seriously handicapped.

There is further danger on Main street because of the street cars. The automobiles not only obstruct view of approaching cars, but they leave little space for traffic when cars are passing.

EXPLOSION AN ACCIDENT

Coroner's Jury Unable to Determine
Cause of Francis Accident.

That the explosion of the powder magazine at the Francis No. 1 plant of the Sunshine Coal & Coke Company on May 10, when Henry Bafa was killed and more than 25 others injured, was an accident, from an unknown cause, was the verdict of the coroner's jury which conducted the inquest at Masontown last night.

Several witnesses were examined but none of them could explain any probable cause. No one was seen to enter the magazine, or was believed to have been in it at the time.

The jury was composed of Joseph H. Honsaker, James Hague, R. B. Hayes, E. D. Longmire, Rev. E. W. Deitrich and Frank J. Connell. Conner Bell had charge.

H. B. Flymeyer, manager of the company store at

SOCIETY.

PERSONAL.

Recital at Mount Pleasant.

The second of the series of spring recitals of the class of 1913 of the Western Pennsylvania Classical and Scientific Institute of Mount Pleasant was given last evening in the Methodist church by Misses Abbott, Sherrick, mezzo soprano, and Miss Edna Schattenberger, pianist, members of the class, assisted by Miss Edna Mabel Scott, reader, of Connellsville. The program was exceptionally well rendered and was greatly appreciated by the large and representative audience. Miss Sherrick is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sherrick of Connellsville and is the possessor of a sweet and powerful voice. She responded to enclose three extra solos.

Among the out of town persons were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sherrick, Misses Grayce and Edith Lallard, Helen Shaw, Jessie Harris, Jennie Neville, W. D. Sherrick, Alfred Moon, Master Gilbert Clark of Connellsville, and Miss Edna Sherrick of Pennsylvania. The last of the series will be held Tuesday evening, June 3.

Others Invited.

The following officers for the ensuing year were elected last evening at the regular meeting of the King's Daughters of the Trinity Lutheran Church held at the home of Mrs. Charles Shouffer on South Pittsburg street: President, Mrs. C. G. Mitchell; vice president, Miss Edna Sauter; secretary, Miss Margaret Brinkman, and treasurer, Miss Lena Hitzel. Dainty refreshments were served.

Evening at Fancy Work.

Mrs. James A. Cowall entertained the M. E. C. Fancy Work Club last evening at her home on Arch street. Luncheon was served.

Trainmen's Ball.

The third semi-annual ball of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will be held Monday evening, May 26, in the West Side auditorium.

Important Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Circle No. 100 to the G. A. R. will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' Hall. The meeting is of importance as final arrangements for Memorial Day will be made. All members are urged to attend.

Date for Wedding.

Tuesday, June 10, is the date for the wedding of Miss Meta Irene Straub, daughter of Charles Louis Straub of Pittsburgh and Alton Stanley Reynolds of New York city. Owing to the recent death of the bride's father only the immediate relatives will be in attendance. Miss Straub is a sister of A. A. Straub of Connellsville.

Invitations Issued.

Invitations have been issued for the annual reception of the Woman's Culture Club to be held Monday afternoon, May 28, at the West Penn Tea Room.

Alumni Dance.

Invitations have been received here for the annual alumnae dance of the Septidale High School to be held Wednesday evening, May 28, in the new Field Hall, in honor of the graduating class of 1913. Music will be rendered by St. Clair's orchestra and cards will be the amusement for those who do not dance. A buffet luncheon will be served.

The executive committee is composed of Charles Lewellyn, president; '11; W. F. Shotts, vice president; '83; Miss Winifred O'Connor, secretary; '09; Albert Stricker, treasurer; '01; Dr. Samuel Gray, '11; James Sherrick, '09; Mr. Wesley Wiley, '04; William McIvor, '02; Miss Edna Peery, '02; Clarence Dick, '11; Margarette Reid, '02; Mrs. Howard Eingle, '06; Homer Gratt, '06, and Walter Lockard, '11, compose the general committee.

Entertained Friends.

Miss Lillian Seese entertained a number of her friends at her home on East Cedar avenue last evening. The out-of-town guests were Lewis Baer, Robert Barrington and Paul Washburn of New Castle.

Sunday School Entertainment.

"The New Minister's Honeymoon," presented last evening in the First Baptist Church by Mrs. W. H. Fritts, Sunday School class was attended by a large and appreciative audience, every seat being occupied. The affair was given under the direction of Mrs. John Work and each member of the cast performed their part in a capable manner. Mrs. E. N. Stahl presided at the piano. The principal characters were E. H. Christian, Miss Marie Thomas, Edward Santmyer, Mr. Leo Hark, Harry Workman and William Colman.

Prohibition Alliance Meets.

The monthly meeting of the Prohibition Alliance was held last evening at the home of Rev. R. G. Catron on East Fayette street. There was a good attendance and business of a routine nature was transacted. A committee composed of G. C. Holman, chairman, Dr. F. D. Hays and W. F. Herkamp was appointed to interview prospective new members. The next meeting will be held at the home of D. K. Arntzen on Vine street.

Increased Ability.

Structures of nerve and mental alertness are both essential to success. Thinking people exercise a wise discrimination as to what they eat and drink. It has been proven by exhaustive tests that good, high grade coffee is excellent for keeping the system in order. Good coffee has a mildly stimulating effect that is not followed by depression. "BREAKFAST CREAM" coffee, composed only of selected berries from the finest crops, makes an ideal drink for breakfast or luncheon. A rich creamy flavor and a delicious aroma, all its own, have secured for "BREAKFAST CREAM" coffee hosts of enthusiastic users. Your grocer will make you a member of this happy band.—Adv.

Prof. Fuller's Recital.

Prof. E. D. Fuller of Uniontown, assisted by Miss Jessie Rhodes, pianist, and Earl Russell, violinist, will give a recital in the Trinity Reformed Church Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock. The public is invited. The following will participate in the program: Mrs. J. L. Junk, Miss Florence Cavender, Miss Louise Cecil, Miss Hazel Weber, Miss Edna Solsom, Miss Frances Rhodes, Miss Angela Stader and Edward Pohl.

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Prize Beauty of Golden West, Chosen as Festival Poster Girl, is a Clever Business Woman

MISS EMMA DE VELASCO
California's Prettiest Girl

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—Native daughters in every state of the Union who lay claim to beauty will be interested in "California's prettiest girl." She is Miss Emma De Velasco of this city. She won that enviable title when she was selected in a \$100 beauty contest conducted by the Portola festival committee. She is the poster girl for the festival which is to be held here in October next to celebrate the four hundredth anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific coast by Vasco Nunes de Balboa.

Born in Los Angeles March 23, 1888, and educated there and at the Santa Monica High School, Miss De Velasco has lived in San Francisco since 1905. She is a musician of ability and has sung at many private concerts. She is a business girl, too, being private secretary to one of the most important lumber dealers of the Pacific Coast.

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ORDERED TO LAY WALKS

Chief Hitzel Serves Notice on Ninth Street Property Owners.

Complying with a resolution passed at the last meeting of Council, Chief of Police George Hitzel is today notifying property owners of South Ninth street, West Side, to lay walks within 60 days.

Notices are being served on the following: Alvin Pierot, Robert Norris, Connellsville School Board, Ben Wauchope, Harry Marlett, Thomas Keen, Dr. H. S. McKee, T. C. Sutin, Thomas J. Hooper, Arthur Freed, C. G. Hoffmeyer, Mrs. Thelma Henry Martz, Mrs. Reichstein, C. E. Marlett, Mary G. Solsom, Jonathan Franklin, Sidney H. Patterson, C. W. Huldrick, Jessie G. Geyer, Otto & August Geyer, Mrs. George Fauth, E. B. Gehrlein, Harry Doctor, F. H. Yoder, H. B. Gehrlein, Charles Baer, Guy Corrado, F. T. Evans, M. W. Alter, Jasper Johnson estate, Thomas Smith, William Whipple, Noah Struthers, James J. Drisko, Mrs. Rankin, Ray Mustreket, John Duncan, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lyons, John Keck, H. Crossland Wagon Company, Mrs. Bridget Freid, Morris M. Cluster, J. J. Henry, John Work, John Harry, Mrs. Jennie Jaynes and Margaret Ross.

TO PANAMA IN 1915.

Many People From Here Will Go to the Opening of the Canal.

A few weeks ago the Young Trust Company pointed out an easy way to accumulate the funds for a trip through the Panama Canal and a visit to San Francisco in 1915. Since then a great many people have begun to save for the trip, by depositing a dollar or more every week in a savings account. This will give them ample funds. There will be many excursions and personally conducted tours through the Canal and to the Exposition, at greatly reduced prices. In the meantime "The Young" pays 4% compound interest on the money and, when the tourists are ready to start, will assist them in making all arrangements for the journey.—Adv.

Pineapples and Berries.

Consumers who can pineapples and strawberries should get in touch with your dealer at once, as there will be no late fruit and you will see higher prices. They are cheap now; also sugar is low. Get busy while the time is right. F. T. Adams.—Adv.

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HELP YOUR KIDNEYS.

They Need Cleaning Once in a While to Rid Them of Impurities.

It's a mighty good thing for people with weak kidneys that A. A. Clarke is selling the newest discovery—Ames Kidney Pills.

They banish the misery of backache, rheumatism, shooting pains in such a short time that users are astonished.

Wanted: Bryant of Steubenville, N. Y., writes:

"For a long time I have been troubled with kidney trouble in my back over my kidneys my wife was a deep red and have been taking Ames Kidney Pills for this trouble and am now a well man."

Your kidneys get clogged just the same as your liver, a few doses of Ames Kidney Pills, will drive out all impure matter. 60 cents. A. A. Clarke guarantees them. Ames Chemical Co., Corry, Pa.—Advertisement.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the
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Charles H. Fletcher

OLIVE Tablets
OIL the Bowels

A Physician's Substitute for Dangero-

us Calomel.

When you feel that your liver and bowels need help take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, Substitute for Calomel. Calomel is effective, but dangerous—causing bad after-effects.

Olive Tablets are especially made to take the place of Calomel. Dr. Edwards for years has been Calomel's best. He says his dangers and its disadvantages in 17 years' practice, treating patients for all kinds of liver and bowel complaints. In his efforts to do without Calomel he developed his now famous little olive-oil colored tablets. Olive Tablets are mild but effective. Safe and sure. Pleasant to take but unfailing in results.

Olive Tablets on the bowels just enough to start Nature's own action, and they tone up the liver at the same time. They are made from a rare combination of vegetable compounds mixed with olive oil.

If you want to regain that feeling of joyous buoyancy and clear thought take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. They work like a vacation. 10 and 25c per box.

"Every little Olive Tablet has a movement all its own."

The Olive Tablet Co., Columbus, O.—Advertisement.

Engagement is Announced.

At a luncheon given by Mrs. P. A. Wenz of Pittsburgh the engagement of her sister, Miss Ella Marie Bates, of Scottsdale, to Augustine G. Kelley of Greensburg, was announced. Both have friends in Connellsville. The wedding will take place in June.

**"He Must
Have a Bell Telephone"**

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Dance at Leisering.

The Young Ladies' Social dance given last evening in St. Vincent De-Paul's Hall at Leisering No. 1 under the chairmanship of Miss Rose McGlynn, Miss Nellie Burns, Miss Cora Rose, Miss Catherine Burns and Miss Rose Meegan was largely attended.

Music was furnished by Klierle's orchestra and dancing was kept up until midnight.

The out-of-town guests

were the Misses Devon, Crotchet, Ladd, McKittrick, Walton and Ladd, Messers. Lewney, Gilbert, O'Connor, Crotchet, Ladd, McKittrick, Ladd and McKittrick.

We have hundreds of other things besides the few suggestions mentioned above.

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Diamond Rings—\$10, \$15, \$25, \$50 up.

The News of Nearby Towns.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLENCE, May 21.—Mr. and Mrs. William Grant are guests of friends in Pittsburgh this week.

Wallace Bartholomew of Rockwood is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Mitchell on the West Side this week.

Miss Ruth Burnworth, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Howard Wright for the past week, returned home yesterday.

Miss Egle Boals of Ursula, was in town shopping yesterday.

Mrs. William Rubright of Pittsburgh, was the guest of her brother, E. R. Bender several days recently.

Miss E. E. McDonald was in Connellsville shopping yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Dold who has been spending the past three months with her sister, Mrs. Ralph C. McClure in Celeste, has returned and returned home. On her return home she spent several days the guest of Miss Nelle Barrett in Swartz.

Miss Ruth Burnworth has returned home, after a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. Howard Wright in Irwin.

Doctor Kuhlmeyer of Ursula, was a caller in town yesterday.

Miss Margaret Blackburn of Pittsburgh, who has been the guest of Mrs. Frank Davis for several weeks, returned home yesterday.

A runaway occurred near the Tough bridge Monday evening. Mrs. Charles Burnworth and little son were driving underneath the Western Maryland railroad bridge when a train came and frightened the horse. It started to run, upsetting the buggy and throwing out both Mrs. Burnworth and the little boy. The horse only ran a short distance when it was caught. Mrs. Burnworth and little boy were taken to the home of Mrs. T. R. Edger, where Dr. H. L. Meyers was summoned. They were later removed to their home in Johnson's Chapel. The condition of the child is serious.

Miss Edna Kuhlmeyer of Ursula, was in town shopping yesterday.

Mr. Guinan celebrated his 87th birthday anniversary at his home on Tuesday. Quite a number of friends and relatives were present. At 12 o'clock a bountiful birthday dinner was served by Mrs. Guinan.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, May 21.—The members of the Rockwood G. A. R. have received their applications from the State Department with reference to their transportation to the Gettysburg reunion in July. With reference to the memorial services which were to have been held in the Rockwood United Brethren Church the members of the G. A. R. have decided that the service will be held in the Rockwood Lutheran Church instead.

Pure Food Commissioner E. B. Miller of Rockwood this week spending several days in Bedford County in the interest of the department.

A number of Rockwood people attended the Sanger show at Somerset yesterday.

Contractor J. C. McSpadden on Monday began work on West Main street, getting ready for paving, with a gang of 20 men, which will occupy a great part of the summer.

The Central Savage Brick Company near Rockwood which has been closed down for several months has again resumed operations. Their suit against the Western Maryland Railroad Company having been held over until the full term of court.

R. C. McVicker, who for the past two years has been a station clerk on the Baltimore & Ohio between Connellsville and Washington, has been transferred to the new suit on the Johnstown-Rockwood trains and will enter upon his new duties within a short time. All passenger trains on the Monongahela & Cambria branch now carry mail.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, May 20.—James Matthews returned home from Scottsdale after a few days' visit among friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rogers and son returned home after a few days' visit with Connellsville friends.

Mrs. William Shearer and daughter, Lena of Mill Run, are Connellsville shoppers today.

J. M. Prinkey of Mill Run, was a business caller here today.

T. W. Alcina is busy packing his household goods. He intends to move to Connellsville this week.

Mrs. Jacob Dull is Connellsville visitor today.

James Donaldson of Ursula, was here on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Miller of Rogers Mill, are Connellsville visitors.

Warren Youngkin of Connellsville, has accepted a position as clerk in the A. Stucky & Company's store here.

On account of business picking up it was necessary to add another clerk to the force.

Nelson Anderson is in Connellsville today on business.

OHIOVILLE.

OHIOVILLE, May 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holt and son William spent Tuesday shopping and visiting among Connellsville friends.

Prayer meeting in the Methodist Episcopal Church Thursday evening, here last evening after spending the past several days with Connellsville and Uniontown relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Jones was in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Miss Gwendoline Holt and brother, Denzil, after spending the past week with Connellsville friends, returned to their home here last evening.

Hartzel Tressler was a Connellsville business caller today.

Miss Goldey Tressler of Bear Run, spent Tuesday shopping and calling on O'Hoppe friends.

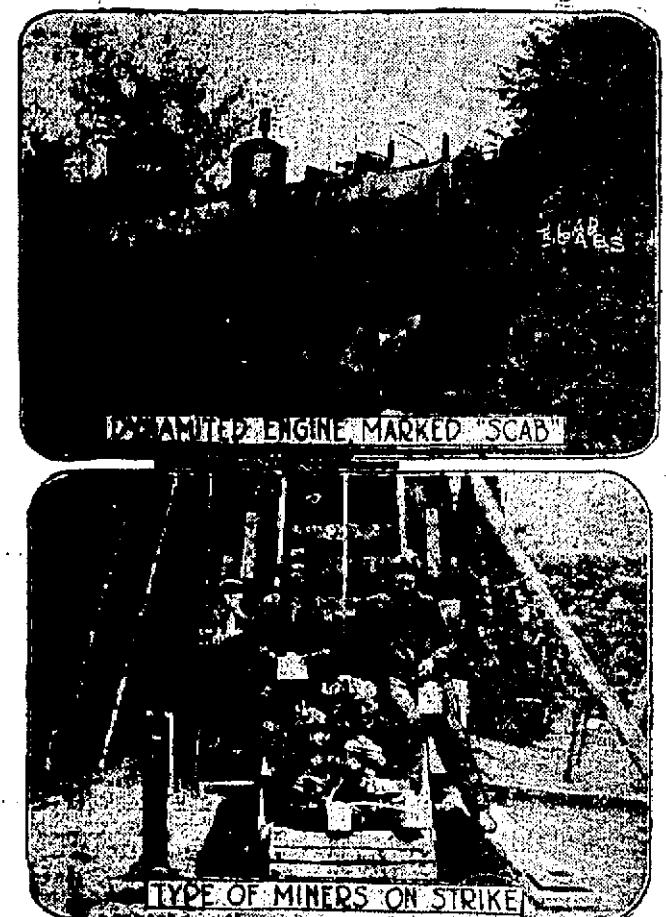
Alonzo Stark was a Connellsville visitor Tuesday.

Thomas Inks has returned to his home on Garrett street after the past two weeks spent near Farmington.

Sleep—and Is Paid for It.

PATERSON, N. J., May 21.—Frederick A. Mather was awarded \$250 damages in his suit against the Erie Railroad, resulting from the failure of a conductor to wake him. He was carried past his station.

Mine Strikers Blow Up Locomotive and Shoot Sheriff's Deputies in New Jersey's Labor Outbreak



COLD IN THE HEAD.

Its Constant Recurrence May Not Only Be Serious, but Fatal.

There are all kinds of colds, spring, summer, autumn and winter, all furnish the means for a cold. In medical literature there is no such disease described as a "cold," yet almost everybody is more or less susceptible to this condition.

The writer used to suffer with "cold" in the head, throat, windpipe, bronchial tubes, stomach and bowels. That was before he learned that an abundance of fresh air—day and night air—was absolutely necessary to build up a high state of physical vigor and vitality to avoid "taking cold."

The most common form of this complaint is a cold in the head. In this condition there is an inflammation of the mucous membranes which line the nasal chamber. This is naturally self limiting. Nature allows the disease to run its course when recovery spontaneously takes place. This condition may be very mild, yet the constant "taking cold" may result in great damage and lead to fatal disease.

The nasal cavities have direct connection with the eyes, ears, throat, lungs, stomach and bowels. When frequent colds, inflammation or congestion occurs in these vital parts and the "germs" or "dith" which is the direct cause of the trouble overcomes the "gag" in the blood and membranes the "germ" or "dith" is carried to one or all of the organs or parts of the body and may result in some disease that terminates fatally.—Professor George A. Keene in Health.

ADD STRINGS TO YOUR BOW.

And Keep on Broadening Your Sphere of Usefulness.

Ages ago some one found music in the twang of a bowstring, then another some one put two strings on a bow, and thus was made the first bow. String after string was added until the bow was too heavy to hold. Then they put it in a box and struck the strings with hammers worked by keys. They called that a harpsichord. It was the first piano. The first and most costly piano of today is just an evolution, just an improvement on the arrow shooting bow.

From the history of the piano comes the old, old saying, "He is adding strings to his bow." It means that one is evolving, improving something. It expresses caution, persistency, energy, enterprise.

Add strings to your bow—one at a time. Bring a new note into each week of work. Learn a little something new and useful. Thus you will increase the harmony and effectiveness of your work.

Anything that has evolved as the bow can never stop improving; so with your work. The more simple the start the greater the possibilities of growth. Know your work from the very first string. Know that there is no limit to its possibilities.

Keep adding strings to your bow, harp, piano—Joel Blank in Philadelphia Ledger.

Short Lived Giants.

Giants are notably short lived, and instances where men much above seven feet in height have reached the age of fifty years are almost unknown. Length of days does not go with excessive length of limb. But bulkiness which stops short of giantism usually is a sign of vitality.

T. L. McHugh, former station agent at Floydell, Pa., entered upon his new duties as station agent at Dunbar yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. B. Walkoff of Monaca, a baby boy, Mrs. Walkoff was formerly Ella Bowman.

Mrs. Margaret Doan was shopping in Connellsville today.

Katherine Wishart is sick at her home of chickenpox on Railroad street.

Miss Ruth Blumenschein was in town Tuesday calling on friends.

Patronize those who advertise.

DICKERSON IRON.

DICKERSON SUN, May 21.—Miss Lena Foyer and Miss Estella McManus were shopping and calling on Connellsville friends yesterday.

H. C. Wilhelmi was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wilhelmi at Uniontown Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Strohler and Master Ralph Strohler were the guests of Connellsville friends yesterday.

Mrs. Anna M. Frank of Hagerstown, Md., is the guest of Miss Music Beatty this week.

Louis Roseman has returned to his home after a few days' visit at McKeesport after a few days' visit here with friends.

Miss Maria Beatty was calling on friends at Connellsville Tuesday morning.

Mrs. B. F. McManus has returned home after a few days' visit with relatives and friends at McKeesport.

Justice of the Peace R. H. Wright of Dawson was a business caller here yesterday afternoon.

Summer normal opened here Monday with a large attendance.

Rev. H. R. Lobb left Sunday evening for Harrisburg, where he will attend the general convention of the Church of God.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hill were visitors to Pittsburgh last week, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. G. D. Simon.

J. W. DePrest is again able to go out after a several weeks' illness.

New automobiles to arrive in town the past week are: W. W. Hill, Studabaker; Jas. A. Byers, Chalmers six.

Mr. and Mrs. James Daniels of Pittsburgh visited the former's parents here Sunday.

W. H. McBeth visited his son, Clarence, at Dayton, O., last week.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, May 20.—Miss Clara Belle Eskin is visiting relatives in Dawson.

J. B. Knox was a business caller in Pittsburgh today.

William Thompson is spending a few days in Fairchance and vicinity.

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Alleged Slaver on Trial.

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Six Cos. Carry Stout Woman.

LONDON, May 21.—She puffing policeman carried Mary Perry, weight 600 pounds, into a hospital when she fell ill in a park.

A fool at forty will never be wise.

Irish Proverb.

AMERICANS IN CUBA HOPE NEW REGIME WILL INSURE PEACE AND PROSPERITY.



TELLS OF POOLS

Carnegie Got \$100,000 for Staying Out of Gilder Market.

NEW YORK, May 21.—Charles M. Schwab resumed the witness stand for further cross-examination by government counsel in the suit to dissolve the United States Steel Corporation. He stated yesterday that he had given testimony he had given that the Illinois Steel Company and the Carnegie Steel Company, subsidiaries of the so-called trust, were competitors before they were absorbed. He said today that the Illinois company manufactured "only small parts" and was not a competitor of the Carnegie company.

Mr. Dickenson asked about pool agreements on rails in 1897. Schwab admitted that the Carnegie Steel Company, of which he was then president, had agreements of that kind. Dickenson read a minute which set forth that English rail manufacturers proposed to allot 100,000 tons of rails to the Carnegie company in England and Canada.

"I told them I was not going to be a party to that," Schwab said. "What was the result?"

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medium for such interests.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 21, 1913.

THE BRYAN DEMOCRACY.The more one ponders over the very
few speech of William Jennings Bryan
on the occasion of his recent visit to
Harrisburg, the more one wonders
whether he is really the advance agent
of President Wilson or whether he is
still Democracy's Great Dictator.He represented the titular head
of the Democratic party when he
officially spanked the Democratic
legislators who have been slow in
taking orders from the Palmer-
Guthrie-McCormick Combine, his conspicuously failed to mention it. He
spoke as the Party Boss. He
represented no political fortunes but his
own. His ambitions are not yet
dead. The党的 Leader will never
be content to follow.The term "Bryan Democrat," he as-
serted with pride, was no longer an
opprobrious epithet, but a symbol of
honor, a patent of political nobility,
and, he might have added, a passport
to political office. This was a coy admis-
sion that the Bryan Democrat was
not always as popular as he now is;
under a near-Bryan administration;
but the past is dead and gone; it
is the future that now interests. What
the statesman from Lincoln, Nebraska,
desires to impress upon the minds of
his Pennsylvania hearers was that the
Democratic party of today is a Bryan
party, not a Wilson party.Professor Wilson should perhaps be
thankful that it is so. When he re-
turns to his books and his undisturbed
meditations he will be better satisfied
that it is the Bryan Democracy and
not the Wilson Democracy which is as
cordially hated as it was once
generally despised.**POWDER MAGAZINES.**The inquiry into the explosion of
the powder magazine at the Friends
No. 1 plant of the Sunshine Coal &
Coke Company developed no reasonable
cause for the accident which
promises to remain a coke region
mystery.The explosion, however, is not without
its lessons and the fact is reempha-
sized by the jury in its verdict, which
recommends that the explosives be stored
at a greater distance from habitations
and be properly guarded against
middleman interference.The suggestion of the chief owner
of the plant that the magazine be lo-
cated in the bottom of the river, is
not practical, of course, but it indicates
that the recommendation of the
jury will receive official approbation.The danger from explosives is ever
present, from the preliminary pro-
cesses of manufacture to the moment
of actual use for legitimate purposes;
but that danger may be minimized by
careful handling, isolated storage and
vigilant protection; and the size of
some of the damage suits resulting
from accidents like that under consider-
ation indicates that all these pre-
cautions are both reasonable and eco-
nomical.**Freight Traffic and Fires.**The charge made by the chief of
the Connellsville Fire Department and
a leading insurance agent, that an
officer of the P. & O. refused to stay
the shifting of trains long enough to
enable the firemen to lay a hose across
the tracks and extinguish the flames
in a burning dwelling, is one which
needs investigation by the railroad
company.Aside from the legal aspects of the
case, the railroad is a quasi-public
corporation and should have as much
of the spirit of helpfulness and self-
sacrifice in putting out fires as is
exhibited by the ordinary citizen. Interruptions to freight movement may
be annoying, but the destruction of a
poor man's home is an affliction.A Cambria county miner who had
been dismissed from service sought to
"ret' even" with his employers by
locking out prep in the mine and
letting down the roof. He succeeded,
but was caught in the fall and crushed
to death. This is not the first
victim of his or a comrade's "ret' even."
"Ret' even" is seldom a profitable
proposition, either in mental or
material gain. The destruction of prop-
erty is criminal folly and the deliberate
wounding of human feelings is
poison to the happiness of two people.
The person who enjoys such revenges
has lost much of his capacity for en-
joying life.The Workmen's Compensation bill
needs considerable amendment before
it will reflect a proper measure of jus-
tice.The bill authorizing motormen and
conductors of trolley cars to make ar-
rests for disorderly conduct or other
offenses, committed while on the trolley
cars, has become a law; and in
some districts it might be well for this
new arm to lay in a stock of clubsand handcuffs. Neither should the
star be forgotten nor its shining light
be hidden under the coat lapel.Pittsburg is considering the pro-
perty of forbidding Tag Days. There
are a number of excellent reasons for
such action. Tag Days are not con-
ducive to feminine modesty nor man-
curing manners, and deserving institu-
tions do not need them.The California Normal is about to
become a state normal school in fact
as well as in name.The Public Service bill passed the
House at Harrisburg after all its bi-
tterest foes had announced their intention
of voting for it. They thought
that it was not what they wanted, but
that it was better than nothing at all.
A great deal better, they might have
said. Legislators should remember
that much legislation is necessarily
compromise legislation.It looks as if Harry Thaw's last
attorney was something of a goat
himself.It is announced that there will be
no more backstamping of letter mail
at the Connellsville postoffice. The
Postoffice Department is going back-
ward since it undertook to bring the
Postal Post forward. The new system
is very convenient, but the first
experience of the postal department
should be by the letter mail, not only
because of the fact that it pays the highest
rates for transit, but also because it
is the most important portion of
the mail.The carnival promises to create
more excitement than the bond issue.The old soldiers are getting ready
for Memorial Day and everybody else
should be doing likewise. The old
veterans need young patrolmen to
help in arranging the details of their
celebration.In the death of Henry M. Flagler,
Florida has lost its biggest and most
progressive citizen.The proposed Wilson Tariff bill
seems to be unsatisfactory to foreign
nations as well as to home industries.
The bill is supposed to have been
drawn for the incidental encouragement
of foreign manufacturers. If it
does not suit them, it is not destined
to be very popular with anybody.Connellsville coal does not have to
be washed or crushed for working purposes,
in which respect it differs from
most other coals. The difference, it
might be added, extends to its value.Oscoda Mills, one of the pioneer
coal centers of Pennsylvania, has gone
up in smoke, a sad but fitting liquid to
a smoke-maker.Pennsylvania Judges will not have
to file reasons for refusing to grant
habeas. The Legislature has refused
to question their sound discretion.Insurance rates are under fire in
the Legislature. This is a fire that
should not be put out until there is
some semblance of justice in such
rates. At present they are as arbitrary
as some railroad rates were
in lawless regulation.The loan shark should be legislat-
ed down to the bottom of the deep
blue sea to keep company with Mc-
Clinty.The Young Men's Christian Associa-
tion boast has some punch behind it.
It's going to win out.Occupants of adjoining buildings in-
sist that the contract for the tearing
down of the Presbyterian church does
not include everything else in the
neighborhood.Traces of a Blid Tiger have been
discovered in the city bridle and the
Jungle Hunters have been called out
to track him down.If in the interest of the trainmen
and passenger safety comes first on
the railroads, then for the preservation
of the corporate ownership from
bankruptcy economy should come
next.South Connellsville has had a small
but just to emphasize the fact that it
objects to have its picture taken with-
out its own consent.Hard luck is the kind that comes
easiest.**Abe Martin.**What's become o' th' primitive
mother who used t' bake a wash-boiler
full o' cookies just for the children?The fellow that admires a never made
a mistake in his life. I don't think any
tugboat he's gittin' off o' no fishin'.Th' now tariff bill may not suit th'
captains o' industry, but it tickled th'
boys in th' trenches.Safe Bet has quit fightin' with his
wife 'cause it costs too much t' make
up.All it takes is a little competition t'
show some fellers up.What's become o' th' primitive
mother who used t' get back?The fellow that admires a never made
a mistake in his life. I don't think any
tugboat he's gittin' off a wash-boiler.

Th' consumer that thought th' Batt-

more platform wuz just t' git on has
come out footloose for Wilson.**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**One Cent a Word.
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lady with experience. Address K. M.
Court, 20May21d.WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL
housework. Call Tri-State phone 112 or
308 Hill street. 11May21d.WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL
housework. Must have reference.
Call 107 E. CEDAR AVENUE. 11May21d.WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL
housework. MRS. H. GEO. MAX. 403
E. Washington Ave. 11May21d.WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL
housework. Good wages. Room and
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Penn Power Station. \$2.00 for 8 hours.
Call 107 WEST PENN POWER STATION.
11May21d.WANTED—TO LOAN \$1000.00
on first mortgages. CHARLES
M. EVANS, real estate, Insurance,
bondes. Second National Bank Building.
20May21d.WANTED—THE OLIVER PLANTS
1420 Hill street. 11May21d.FOR RENT—TWO UNFURNISHED
rooms. Inquire 402 WASHINGTON
AVENUE. 11May21d.FOR RENT—5 ROOM HOUSE, YOMIC
avenue, \$14. 4 room flat with bath.
11May21d.FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED
rooms for light housekeeping. YOMIC
PLUMBING CO., 120 W. Penn street.
11May21d.FOR RENT—5 ROOM BRICK HOUSE
on Second St., South Connellsville. Rent
\$10. Inquire of C. M. EVANS.
11May21d.FOR RENT—8 ROOM HOUSE,
newly papered. All modern con-
veniences. Apply MURK MEAT
MARKET. 28Market.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 HORSEPOWER 1912
Indian Motorcycle. Inquire 401
MARKET STREET, Scottdale, Pa.
11May21d.FOR SALE—LOT ON CHESTNUT
street, Connellsville. Cheap to quick
buyer. Inquire BOX 100, Scottdale,
Pa. 11May21d.FOR SALE—A SIX ROOM HOUSE ON
Trader avenue. All modern con-
veniences. Inquire at 101 TRADER
AVENUE. 11May21d.FOR SALE—TWO HOUSES, ONE
stable and large lot. Five minutes'
walk from center of city. Price and
terms right. Address C. M. EVANS,
Second National Bank Building.
11May21d.

Exterior's Notice.

H. G. May, Attorney.
ESTATE OF MARTIN SCHNEIDER,
late of the Borough of Connellsville,
County of Fayette and State of Penn-
sylvania, deceased. Letters testamentary
on the above-named estate having
been granted to the undersigned, notice
is hereby given to all persons indebted
to said estate to make immediate payment,
and to those having claims against
the same, to present them
properly authenticated for settlement.
JOHANNA SCHNEIDER, P. O. Address,
West Side, Connellsville, Pa. 23April21d.

Notice to Contractors.

FOR THE FURNISHING OF ALL
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**JOHN A. DAVIS
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Will Appear in Mill Town
First Methodist Church
on June Second.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR RALLY

Speakers Engaged for the Occasion at the Owensdale United Brethren Church on Next Saturday: Eastern District Gets a Bishop; Other Notes.

Special to The Courier.
SCOTTDALE, May 21.—Rev. John A. Davis of Davis and Mills, the evangelists, who held successful religious campaigns in the towns of this vicinity, and who was here recently, will do a Scottsdale lecture, on Sunday evening, June 2, according to arrangements made this week.

The First Methodist Episcopal Church has been secured for this lecture, which will be on the subject of "Possibilities." The lecture will be under the auspices of the Edward League of that church, and will draw the people, as Mr. Davis has a host of friends in this locality, who will be anxious and glad to hear him once more.

Mr. Davis has recovered the use of his voice, after a season of hospital treatment, and is now supplying the church at Cortland, N. Y., and is very busy. He delivered an address at the Carnegie Music Hall, Bradfleck, a few weeks ago, and has spoken at a number of other places in this section, all of which he was greeted by large audiences.

C. E. RALLY.
The Christian Endeavor Society of the Owensdale United Brethren Church will have special rally day services at that church, of which Rev. J. J. Funk of Scottdale, is the pastor, on Saturday. There will be services at 2:30 and 7:30 P. M., and in the evening a luncheon will be served on the lawn of the church for all those present. The speakers engaged at this time are Rev. S. J. Showers of Youngwood, Rev. B. J. Hunsell of Evanson, Rev. C. W. Hendrickson of Scottdale, Attorney F. P. Rush of Uniontown, and Rev. A. M. Davies of Monaca. There is an active society at Owensdale of which L. H. Rush is president, and quite a profitable time is looked for.

BUILDS A HOUSE.
Lawrence Taylor is building a new cast-brick house for himself, opposite the Mount Nebo United Brethren Church. Mr. Taylor owns a fine plot of six acres there and is putting up a very handsome home for himself.

AT CONFERENCE.

Albert Kiesler and J. W. Ruth have been attending the General Conference of the United Brethren Church at Peoria, Illinois, with Rev. C. W. Hendrickson, pastor of the Scottdale church, one of the visitors to the meeting. A new bishop has been given this district, in the person of Dr. William Weakley. The eastern district has not had a bishop since the death of Dr. J. C. Miller, about 18 years ago, and other bishops of the church attending to the duties in this district, Bishop Weakley will move into the district, probably to Annville, which was the home of Bishop Kephart and Bishop Mills.

NOTES.
Mr. and Mrs. William Miller of Buena Vista, were the guests from Friday until Tuesday of the family of their nephew, John Milligan of Pittston.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Stamm of Porty, a daughter, on Thursday. The parents are former residents of Scottdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Dannecker of Evanson spent Sunday at Pittston, visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Eidenour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Harry Blankenship of Uniontown, were visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blankenship and calling on friends on Monday.

Mrs. Jason Kouch, Mrs. John Truxel and Mrs. John Paul of Pittston were callers in Scottdale on Monday.

Mrs. Sarah Morey of Owensdale, was calling on friends here on Saturday.

Martin Berg of Falchance, was in town on Sunday and visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berg of Pittston.

John Vanforn, a student at Allegheny College, was here over Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vanforn.

William, the son of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. McDowell is now being taken out doors for the first following a dangerous attack of pneumonia and an operation caused by it.

John Burgess, has returned from a couple of weeks at Chincoteague, Virginia. The family will remain there on their farm during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. David K. Patterson spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Roy Kelly of Pittston.

Rev. Robert Weibley of Scottdale, who has been preaching in North Dakota since his graduation from the Moody Bible Institute, has returned to Chicago, and is preaching in that city.

W. H. Everhart, formerly superintendent of the Scottdale Furnace, and now general superintendent of the Corliss, McKinney & Company furnaces at Cleveland, was here a few days this week. The family will remove to Cleveland at the close of school.

Building New Home.
Contractor A. C. Herkert this morning began the erection of a frame dwelling on South Pittsburg street for Robert Carl. The house will be modern in every particular, being equipped with the latest conveniences.

Gets 48 Hours for Abuse.
Kenneth Miller was abusing an officer in the vicinity of the Pennsylvania railroad station last night. Brought before the burgess in night police court, he was given 48 hours.

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read our advertising columns.

**MacMillan Prepares for Clash Into Frozen
Top of the World to Serve Earth's Final Puzzle**



DONALD B. MACMILLAN WHO WILL SEEK
NEW CONTINENT IN ARCTIC

NEW YORK, May 21.—Donald B. MacMillan is getting ready for his drill into the icy fastness of the arctic. He wants to solve the only remaining mystery of old mother earth's top crust. He will endeavor to explore Crocker Land, the supposed continent sighted by Peary from Cape Thompson in 1909. When the exploration party sets from Sydney, N. S. W., on July 1, under the leadership of MacMillan, the explorers will include a seismograph and

a complete wireless outfit in their equipment, which will be thoroughly up-to-date. Electricity will also be utilized for lighting, cooking the meals and heating in the remote regions of the far north. The object of the expedition is to discover and explore the unknown area north of the present map of the arctic regions and, if conditions are favorable, to penetrate the Greenland ice cap. MacMillan was with Peary on his dash to the north pole.

PREPARE FOR CONVENTION

Somerset Sunday School Workers Will Meet at Rockwood in June.

Special to The Courier.

BOMMELSET, May 21.—Contracts are being made on an elaborate scale for the ninth annual convention of the Somerset County Sunday School Association, which will be held at Rockwood, on Thursday and Friday, June 12 and 13. One of the special features of the gathering will be the men's parade on Friday evening, commencing at 7 o'clock. The leader of each class will carry an appropriate banner. The two schools making the best showing will be awarded souvenirs.

Every man, together with boys over 13 years of age, who belongs to a Sunday school of any denomination in the county, is invited to participate. A mass meeting will follow the parade. A special train for the accommodation of participants who reside along the Somerset & Cambria branch will leave Rockwood after the mass meeting.

The bricks for the Rockwood township road will be furnished by the Royal Brick Company for \$11.33 per thousand, while on the South Union township roads the contract awarded to the United

Brick Company at \$16.70 per thousand. In each instance the contracts were given to the lowest bidder.

Two other small contracts for township roads remain to be let.

The new roads on which work will start in about two weeks are 10 feet

of brick with three feet of macadam on each side.

ROAD CONTRACTS LET

**Commissioners Prepare to Improve
Highways in Three Townships.**

Contracts for the construction of portion of brick roads in Luton, Balsam and Redstone townships and for brick for the Balsam and South Union township roads were awarded by the county commissioners yesterday afternoon. Hoblitzel & Price of Meyersdale got the two miles of road in Luton township for \$28,628.31; the contract for one mile of road in Balsam went to the Valley Construction Company for \$9,344, while the mile in Redstone township will be constructed by Jack Austin for \$14,000.25.

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PITY THE POOR SISTERS

**Missionary from Asia is Here to Raise
\$2,000 Ransom.**

A foreigner claiming to be a missionary from Asia is in town today endeavoring to collect sufficient funds, he says, to make up the necessary \$2,000 ransom for which his two sisters are being held by the Kurds in their native land.

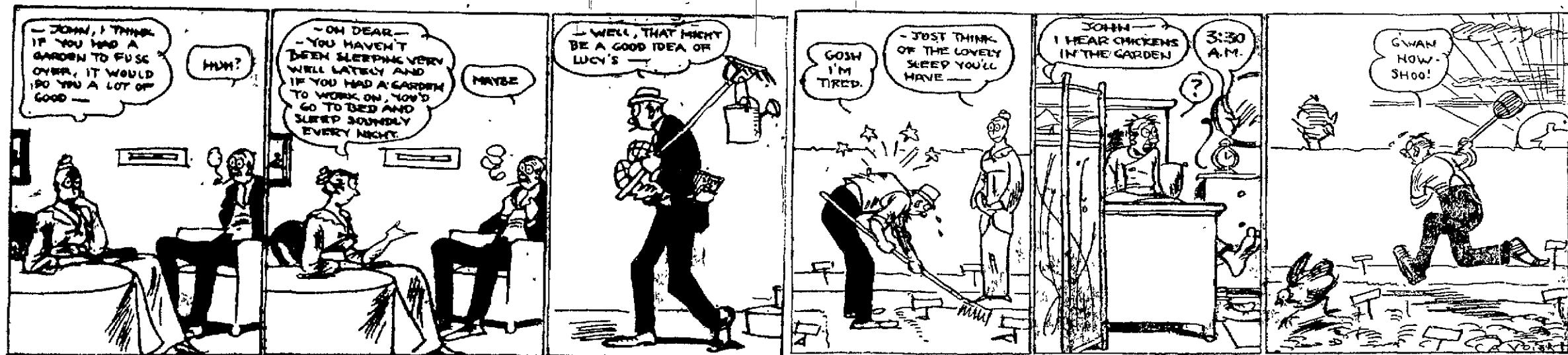
Although he admits being in America only three weeks, he speaks English fluently, but accounts for the accomplishment by saying that he attended English schools in Asia. When asked why he didn't appeal to his government to rescue his sisters instead of pursuing the more laborious way of collecting the ransom, the man declared that it wouldn't do any use for him to ask aid of the government. "They're in league with the Kurds," he said.

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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

MRS. WORRY—Have You Had This Experience?



FRIEDMANN "CURE" MUST NOT BE DEPENDED ON, GOVERNMENT SAYS

Report of Experts Is Unfavorable to Turtle Serum For Tuberculosis.

Sufferers Advised to Continue Use of Recognized Remedies For the Present.

THE government's first official report on Dr. Friedrich Friedmann's turtle serum remedy for tuberculosis is not regarded as favorable to the German physician, whose declaration that he had a cure for the white plague was received with joy by thousands.

The report, which is based on findings of experts of the United States public health service, was read at the annual meeting of the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The association met in Washington.

The report in effect warns the public against placing too much confidence in the Friedmann serum and advises tuberculosis sufferers to continue the regulation treatment prescribed by the best physicians today.

The opinion of the experts was announced after they had investigated thoroughly ninety-four cases of tuberculosis treated by Dr. Friedmann in New York. The result of the serum treatment in those cases "does not justify the confidence in this remedy which has been inspired by widespread publicity."

"In our opinion, harm may have been done by this undue publicity in so far as it has lessened the confidence of tuberculosis persons in well recognized methods of treatment or interrupted their use, and we are constrained to advise against any lessening of those well-known measures which not only have effected cures, but which have reduced the incidence of the disease."

"We are aware that Dr. Friedmann does not wish to be judged scientifically on newspaper statements, and he would undoubtedly decline responsibility for certain of those which have appeared. Nevertheless it is on those that the public bases its opinion until replaced by reliable and unbiased scientific pronouncements, supported by convincing data."

Dr. Minor, in discussing the question, said that he was told that this treatment came to America not through medical and scientific channels, but through a commercial publicity enterprise. He said that the fact that the "cure" had been supported with considerable enthusiasm was sufficient for the association to make a stand to protect the public.

Text of Resolution.

The resolution finally adopted by the association, which is composed of physicians and others who have been leading in the crusade against the white plague in this country, is:

Whereas, Widespread publicity has been given to the claims of an alleged cure for tuberculosis;

Resolved, that there is no information before the National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis to justify the belief that any specific cure for tuberculosis has been discovered which deserves the confidence of the medical profession or the people, and,

Resolved, that it is the duty of the public to continue to use all the present well-tried agencies for the treatment and prevention of tuberculosis.

Voters For Resolution.

Among those voting for the resolution were Dr. Meyer of Mount Sinai hospital and Dr. Miller of Bellevue hospital, New York city, in both of which institutions Friedmann patients are being observed by the government; Dr. Perkins of Providence, R. I., whose patients were treated by Dr. Friedmann; and Baldwin of Saranac Lake, N. Y., who, it is said, experimented with the Friedmann serum and discarded it ten years ago.

Dr. Friedmann was uncooperative, according to the New York Sun, when that report from Washington was read to him in New York city. He let it be known that he did not intend to worry over a preliminary report, which he thought was premature.

The Berlin doctor at first was inclined to disbelieve that Dr. Anderson had made an adverse report. He said that Dr. Stimson of the public health service, whom he met at the Sotom hospital, told him that it was very unlikely that such a statement would come from Dr. Anderson. When he finally did comprehend what the Washington officials had said he:

"There is nothing to say to that. It is not the final report, which will be different. I don't see that Dr. Anderson has made any attack upon my remedy. What he does say is not positive one way or the other. And what is this National Association For the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis? I do not know it."

Further attempts to get Dr. Friedmann to express himself on government officials' attitude were fruitless. He seemed to regard the matter as insignificant.

Then he was asked what he thought of the claims of Professor Max Plockowski of Berlin regarding the latter's turtle culture for tuberculosis. Dr. Friedmann said that he had read the stories about it and added:

"That does not interest me. I will deny, though, that Plockowski over-

worked in my laboratory or that we ever worked together. He did not get his turtle vaccine from me any more than I got mine from him. If he has worked independently and got a cure why all right."

Dr. Friedmann was just as uninterested when told that Dr. William Bentz was coming to America with enough of the Plockowski vaccine for the injection of a thousand patients.

"All right; let him come with enough for a million," he said.

This interview took place just after Dr. Friedmann had returned to New York city from Canada, where he treated some patients. He said he was very well pleased with the progress all his patients were making.

Talks of Patients.

"I went to Canada to look after my patients. I have come back here to look after my patients. My patients before everything else. My first care when I come back here is my patients. And they are doing just as I expected, the same improvement that has been seen everywhere," he said.

Physicians of Frankfurt, Germany, interviewed recently by a correspondent of the New York Times, declared that patients Dr. Friedmann treated at the Frankfurt Municipal hospital more than four months ago had not shown any beneficial effects from the turtle serum.

Professor Paul Erlich, discoverer of salvarsan, was also seen by the correspondent at the Royal Institute of Medical Therapeutics. He advised against judging Dr. Friedmann's remedy too quickly and defended Dr. Friedmann's course in selling the American rights to his serum.

In part Professor Erlich's comment was:

"Dr. Friedmann struck me as an earnest young man. His stand is a man of unimpeachable standing, whose support of any cause must demand for it serious consideration at the hands of the medical profession. If my tests of the Friedmann vaccine are somewhat delayed it will be partly because I have no human material at my disposal for experimental purposes and must confine my work to animals."

STARVATION IMPROVES MIND.

This is Conclusion of Thirty Day Test at Carnegie Laboratory.

Memory and eyesight are improved by starvation. As the body gets weaker from the exhaustion of starving the mind increases in strength and activity.

These are the conclusions arrived at by the scientists who conducted the extraordinary psychological test upon Agostino Levanzin in the Carnegie nutrition laboratory at Boston, which attracted widespread notice last year. The report was made by Professor Herbert Sydney Langford.

Levanzin was kept in a calorimeter, a coffin-like box, for thirty days, and during that time was given a pint and a half of water each day to sustain life. Finally he left the place in a half dying condition and was sent to a convalescent hospital to recover.

Tests were taken two days previous to the beginning of the fast and were continued up to one day following. The tests were in having the man repeat lists of words from memory, giving him look at a series of letters, giving them from memory and similar psychological experiments.

SUBWAY CLAY FOR ROSES.

Paris Gardener Discovers Flowers Grow Finest In It.

The beauty of the rose has been enhanced greatly by a new soil treatment recently discovered in an odd manner. When the first excavations were made for the Paris subway a gardener carted away a few loads of the clay dumpings. He tried roses on the soil thus prepared, and to his amazement they grew finer than in the highly prized clays.

Since then there has been a great demand from rose growers for subway clay.

The roses grown on this soil have been dubbed "subway roses." They have extraordinary vivid colors and exquisite odor and are taking all prizes at the horticultural shows.

Owns His Whole Country.

Prince Henry XXVII, the new ruler of the German principality of Hesse, has the distinction of being the only ruler in the world who owns all the land he governs.

Prince Henry owns every acre of land and every building in the principality, which has an area of 310 square miles.

He is a lieutenant in the German navy, having attained that rank by his own efforts.

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The Shift Sartorial

Farewell, my coat, whose fair unwrinkled grace!
How ends my joy and passion!
Desire your honored self I must replace
You for some newer fashion.

Farewell, my wondrous waistcoat! In your
presence, like a king, I stand.
You're called autumn's glory,
Or have a masterpiece of cut subtilia.
You're now "another story!"

And you, my third essential, who have fed
Me and from you rolled out my coat?
Although I have to stoop below the belt,
From now your service causes.

Farewell! Like champions your conge
Bear. Who sometimes must be beaten.
Come forth, my summer cloth of year.
Great Scott! They're all moth eaten!
—La Touche Hancock in New York Sun.

ALIEN LAND LAW ON ILLINOIS STATUTE BOOKS.

How a Wealthy Irishman Caused It to Be Passed.

Interest aroused in California and in the United States generally on the question of an alien land law has called attention to the fact that Illinois has had an alien land law in its statute books for many years. It limits the time during which an alien may hold title to land in the state to six years.

If at the end of six years the alien owner has not become naturalized or has not transferred the land to a bona fide purchaser, the state attorney of the county in which the land is located under the law must proceed by information in the name of the people of the state to compel a sale of the land.

The Illinois alien land law was passed at a time when the state, especially Logan county, had become aroused because of the large land holdings of "Lord" William Scully, a Tipperary native and a widely known Irish land owner.

Scully owned 27,000 acres of land in Logan county. He also bought 47,000 acres in other parts of the state, besides 200,000 to 300,000 acres in Kansas, the Dakotas, Montana and Idaho. Scully obtained his land in Illinois by having passed an enabling act.

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Also a Great Master.

The persons in the gallery who were most impressed with the J. Pierpont Morgan collection of pictures were two small girls, one eight and the other ten years of age. Uncertainly they spelled out the names of the paintings, which conveyed very little, and they were truly moved, of course, by the dashingly dressed Duchess of Devonshire and the small princess by Velazquez, and the wonderfully engaging young lady by the unknown Spanish painter.

Lastly they came to the portrait of Mr. Morgan himself, and from this they appealed directly to the attendant on

guard.

"Please, sir," they asked, "did Mr. Morgan paint all these pictures?"

The guard was a true gentleman.

"Not all," he answered.—New York Post.

Visible Sound Waves.

Curious luminous circles or arcs, delicate and perfect in form, have been seen over the craters of Vesuvius and Etna—each at each explosion. A study of this strange phenomenon has been made by Mr. Frank A. Perret, who has witnessed it hundreds of times, and he concludes that these "dashing arcs" as he calls them, are really sound waves made visible for an instant, the rate of propagation of the images seeming to be about that of sound. The appearance is analogous to the air waves seen above heated roofs.

Innocence Faked.

If you want to see a picture of innocent honesty just get a look at a man's face in a street car after the conductor has forgotten to collect his fare.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

Shoot with the ride of concentration

and leave the shotgun of scatterbrain to the other fellow.—Sheldon

TRINIDAD'S ASPHALT LAKE.

One of the World's Hot Spots, Torrid, Desolating and Enervating.

In "The Path of the Conquistadores" Lindor Bates, Jr. tells of the famous asphalt lake of Trinidat. He says:

"The struggling village at its edge is an extraordinary spectacle. Not a house but is twisted out of plumb. The land is the source of never ending litigation, because the slowly shifting currents of the pitch bottom in a few years move yards and gardens on to other men's property, distort boundaries into every possible shape, carry landmarks a hundred yards away.

"The abomination of desolation is this lake. In spots a palm killed by a serpent droops disconsolately. A few tufts of grass have secured a footing in places. But for the rest it is a solid mass of black, dull, evil smelling pitch, with pools of water here and there. In which swim little polluted fishes. Against any of the hot spots in the world, bar none, this can be backed.

"A wicked looking blacksnake six feet long glides into the bushes near the margin of the lake. It has been coiling itself on the asphalt. No wonder the serpents are supposed to be creatures of the devil. As for itself, fifteen minutes' stay takes away every bit of vitality we can summon. Not enough interest is left in life to inquire what the negroes bawling with mattocks at the asphalt receive in wages. They earn the pay, whatever it is.

"The lake is ninety to a hundred acres in extent now, but it is gradually shrinking with the removal of the enormous quantities that have been taken out."

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The ISOLATED CONTINENT

A ROMANCE OF THE FUTURE

BY GUIDO VON HORVATH and DEAN HOARD

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Then the curtain sat down.

Astra, in her own room in the crystal palace, saw and heard through the electro-stylograph the whole proceedings of the New York continental party in the Hippodrome. She had raised her hand to disconnect her machine when a man from the audience asked for the right to speak.

According to the rules of the party, all who desired had the right to make an address, so this request was readily granted. Since no one asked for this man's name, it was not disclosed. He walked calmly forward, closely followed by a short, fat man who stopped only when his tall friend mounted the platform. This tall man was dressed in a gray travelling suit, instead of mourning, but on his arm, was a broad black band.

All the attention of the great audience was centered on the athletic figure and the robust, frank face of the young man. Astra's instrument showed these details to her as plainly as if she were sitting in one of the boxes, and she was thrilled as his eyes seemed to look straight into hers.

"Ladies and Gentlemen," he began. "I have a message to deliver to the political party in which I believe; do not ask me how I happen to be the instrument that was selected to convey this message to you, but I beg you to seriously consider my words."

"You have all heard or read about the warning that came to our dear dead, the ex-President, Hannibal Prudent."

There was silent emotion in the place when he mentioned that name. "That warning is only too true. Our enemies, defeated fifty years ago, have found a way to break through our isolation; they have spent these fifty years planning revenge. We can, through Hannibal Prudent's efforts, put off their invasion for one year, which will give us a little time to prepare for defense. Continentalists, my brothers in conviction, spread strength and faith through the mighty land as God has given us, just as he did fifty years ago, a man to liberate our country from the oppressor's hand. God, in his infinite goodness, has given us another instrument to repel the storming enemies."

His voice filled the great hall; his words were convincing through the sincerity of the orator.

As he opened his mouth to speak again, the large hall-board began to show many colored zig-zag sparks and the audience watched it in apprehension; the whole atmosphere was charged with an inexplicable feeling of expectation. Not a person moved until the man on the platform stepped quickly down to the operating table of the electro-stylograph and adjusted the instrument into the right receiving socket. The sparkling ceased and blurred, but discernible, a picture appeared.

As the audience stared the pictures became somewhat clearer and they saw what appeared to be tremendous sea monsters lying immovable on the bottom of the ocean. The huge bulk of metal, showing unknown forms of warfare, were pointed menacingly at the silent audience, which was representative of the fifty years just past; the comparison showed clearly that the science and genius of the Europeans had only produced a perfection of death-dealing instruments, while the Americans had advanced in science, art, literature and a general development of the human race.

The great audience, which had been so enthusiastic, now sat as motionless as a bird that has been charmed by a snake, intently watching the wonderful picture that moved and changed incessantly; huge airships of an improved type, resembling the old style Zeppelin, glistered brightly, as they moved with ponderous grace.

Every conceivable form of mono and diplane came gliding by; and each and every form of locomotion carried unmistakable signs of their destiny—a machine of destruction.

As the pictures vanished a slight rustle from every heart and a rustle of relaxation stirred the multitude. Many turned toward the platform, hoping to see the man who had last spoken, but he was gone.

By the time the people who had been favored by a sight of the enemies' destructive forces, began to leave the Hippodrome, that young man was on his way to the capital. He was none other than Napoleon Edison.

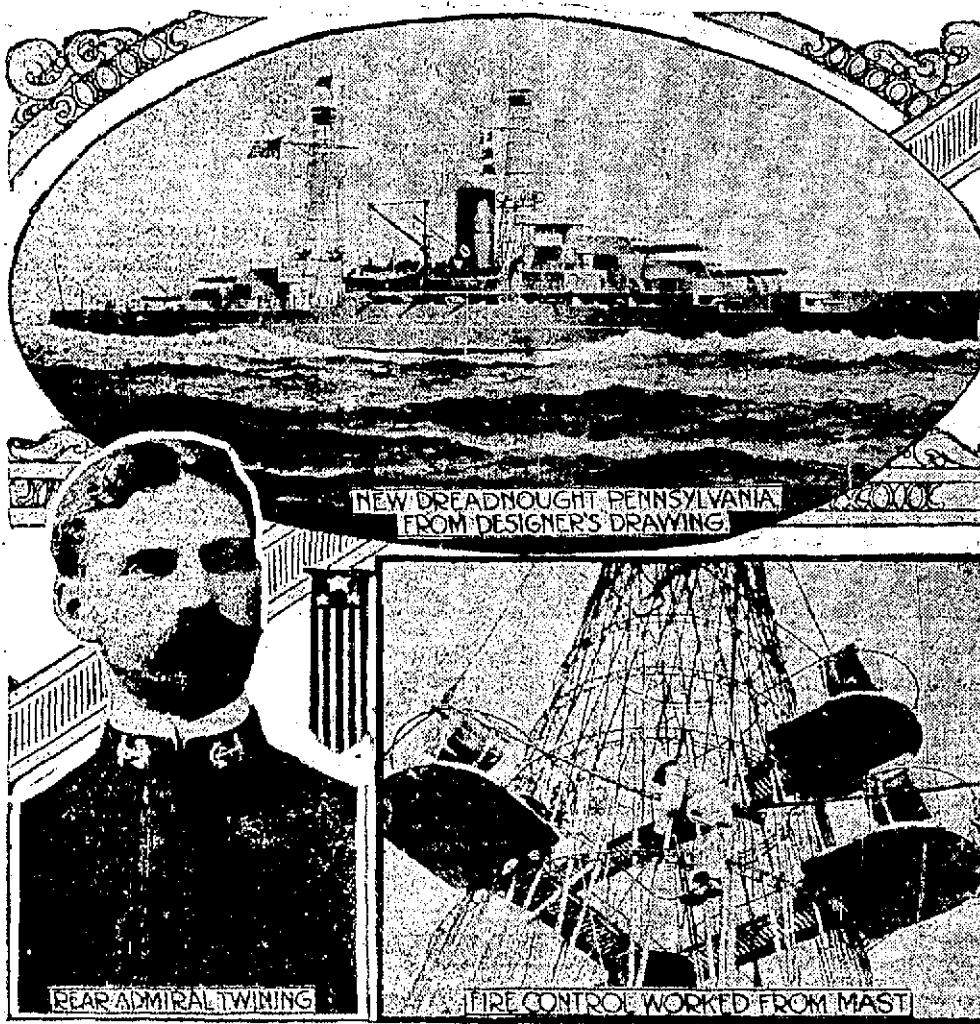
CHAPTER III.

The Ring.

Thursday afternoon at four o'clock the clay abode of the man whose death was mourned by the continent returned to ashes. The mournful procession started toward the crematorium from the chapel of the Crystal Palace. Gardens had been devastated to furnish flowers; the streets were carpeted with bloom. Immediately following the coffin rode his only relative, the daughter of Hannibal Prudent, in an open carriage.

Her pale face spoke of sleepless nights and many tears, but her eyes

THEFT OF SECRET OF WORLD'S GREATEST DREADNAUGHT AROUSES UNCLE SAM'S IRE



WASHINGTON, May 21.—Follow the equation of the theft of valuable plans of parts of the new dreadnaught Pennsylvania from the navy department, renewed efforts were made to recover the papers and find the culprit. The plans contained the secret of Rear Admiral Twining.

It was said that they would be of value only to a foreign government in

case of war with the United States. If this secret were known it would enable the gunners of opposing ships to cripple the great battleship at once by directing its shot at the exact vital spot in the great hull. The fire control is operated from the masts of a battleship.

That while she was admiring the ring of the twelve great fourteen-inch guns on the new fighter as well as the twenty-two five-inch guns meant for torpedo defense. These plans were the secret of Rear Admiral Twining.

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Edison stepped for a second, bit his lip thoughtfully, then rose.

"I am a present for you, and through you to the whole American continent."

Astra's face expressed surprise.

"I will have to be more explicit. I will have to tell you more about it. May I ask you to let me have the ring for a moment?"

She handed it to Edison with a gracious movement of her slender hand. He took it from her, and, grasping it firmly with both hands, he pulled it apart; it yielded like rubber and jumped back to its former size when he released it. Then he let it drop on the polished desk; it sounded like glass.

"What do you think of that, Miss Prudent?"

"It is wonderful!"

"Indeed it is, and more: it carries the solution of aerial navigation, making the aerial crafts as safe as your chair. It makes war on land or sea absolutely impossible. It strikes the word 'distance' from the dictionary. What do you think of it?"

Astra's face took on an expression full of faith and thankfulness; her eyes seemed to look far up to the power that moves worlds and creates new stars.

"You—have come to our aid; peace and happiness will still reign over our continent. God has sent you to me in this trying moment."

Tear drops trembled on her long eyelashes like drops of dew on a flower.

When the moment of enthusiasm passed, they sat again calmly opposite to each other. This time Astra spoke:

"My dear Mr. Edison! You have not proved what you claim can be done, but the way you said it convinced me that you have the power to do it. In other words, I trust you and believe in you implicitly. Women know much by instinct, and my intuition has never led me astray."

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"As you know, the Continentalists have nominated me because I was the daughter of the man who made this continent what it is today. Now that I have found a man who promises as great things as you do I shall not accept this nomination, but will insist upon you as a candidate."

Napoleon Edison shook his head with a smile.

"Miss Prudent, I appreciate what you say, but none must know about our present conversation. I have done nothing but give you a jewel. The other things remain to be proved."

Astra looked thoughtfully at the visitor and seemed to agree.

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Sports

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.
Pittsburgh 4; Brooklyn 1.
St. Louis 3; New York 0.
Philadelphia 5; Cincinnati 1.
Chicago 7; Boston 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

Philadelphia	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	13	10	.520
Brooklyn	11	10	.555
New York	16	13	.535
Chicago	16	16	.500
St. Louis	15	15	.500
Pittsburgh	13	18	.449
Boston	11	16	.404
Cincinnati	9	21	.390

Today's Schedule.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Boston.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.
Cleveland 10; Washington 8.
Detroit 8; Philadelphia 7.
New York 6; St. Louis 3.
Chicago-Boston—rain.

10 Innings.

Philadelphia	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	19	9	.670
Cleveland	21	11	.655
Washington	17	11	.607
Chicago	20	13	.605
Boston	20	18	.540
St. Louis	14	21	.400
Detroit	12	21	.344
New York	9	21	.390

Today's Schedule.

Washington at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Detroit.
New York at St. Louis.
Boston at Chicago.

LEISNERING WINS.

Defeat Junata 9 to 0 in a Seven-Inning Contest.

Leisnering defeated Junata yesterday 9 to 0 in a seven-inning contest at Leisnering. The battling of Sibley and Wilson featured. Lesko allowed but three hits. The score:

LEISNERING	AB	R	H	P	A	E
Sheets, rf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Metcalfe, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson, 1b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wheeler, se	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sibley, 1b	4	3	2	1	0	0
Whitkey, m	4	0	0	0	0	0
Shiner, if	4	0	0	0	0	0
Frazer, c	3	0	1	1	0	0
Clark, 2b	1	1	1	1	0	0
Lesko, p	13	1	1	1	0	0
Total	34	9	11	12	3	E
SCORING BY INNINGS						
Leisnering	0	1	0	0	5	x-2
Junata	0	0	0	0	0	0
STRIKES	18	18	18	18	18	18
Strikes—Clark, 3; Sibley, Wilson, Wheeler.						
Two base hit—Sibley.						
Three base hit—Wilson.						
Double plays—Westerburg to Sibley; Sibley to Clark.						
Left on bases—Leisnering 7; Junata 2.						
Struck out—by Lesko 4; by Dill 7.						
Passed ball—Johns.						
Time of game—2:00.						
Umpire—Serge.						
Official Scorer—Shriver.						

SEES GREATER SAFETY IN MINING BY ELECTRICITY

Bureau of Mines Expert Looks for Improved Devices and Corresponding Decrease of Risks.

H. H. Clark, electrical engineer of the Bureau of Mines, in his paper on "Safeguarding the Use of Electricity in Mines," read before the Pittsburgh meeting of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers which met April 18 and 19, made the following remarks relative to the hope that mines will be safer when certain electrical developments become more general and are modified to meet the needs of the situation.

"There are, however, some ways in which it seems possible for electric to decrease the risks now attendant upon mining work. There is one piece of electrical equipment which may almost be considered as safety device and there are three others which, by substitution for more dangerous equipment and methods, promote the safety of underground work.

"First may be mentioned the telephone, which is of use in spreading the news of trouble in calling aid to the injured, and in assisting in mine-rescue work after disasters. Next may be mentioned portable electric lamps for use of miners. The development of such lamps is just beginning in the United States. At the date of this writing no device has been fully developed and standardized for insuring absolute freedom from gas ignition by lamps of this sort.

"There can be no doubt, however, that in the near future some such device will be developed and then the electric lamp will become safer than the locked safety lamp, although it has not the latter's ability to detect the presence of explosive gas. The statement that the electric lamp may be made safer than the safety lamp is based upon the fact that the parts of safety lamp may be improperly ranged and ignition of gas occur as the result. The records show that this has happened on more than one occasion.

"The greatest benefits to be derived from the electric lamp as a safety device will be in those mines where the electric lamp supplants the open-flame lamp and thereby eliminates a real fire hazard.

"Next may be mentioned the firing of shots by electrical means. There can be no doubt that the firing of shots by properly designed and operated electrical shot-firing devices and equipment is safer than firing them by fuses or other devices which ignite explosives by means of sparks or flames.

"Finally it may be suggested that

Eventful Days at Your Store

WRIGHT-METZLER CO.

BOOST FOR THE Y. M. C. A.

Wright-Metzler Company Invites You to Their

OPENING Of Mid-Summer Millinery

All Day Thursday, May twenty-second



A VERY important event, this exhibit of millinery fashions that will prevail the balance of the summer! The contrast between head-wear styles previously shown, and these newer, authentic models, is so sharply designed that the former must give way to the latter just as spring styles replace winter garb.

Naturally, it is imperative that

ALL women, whether they follow the fashions closely or not, must get in touch with the new order of head-dress which is more pronounced than any previous season. This mid-summer opening is a personal message to every woman of a radical change, and no pains have been spared to make this exhibit authoritative and attractive. The great features is the vogue of

White and Black Millinery

ALL WHITE hats of Leghorn, chip, hair, hemp and Milan, decorated with ribbon, flowers, ostrich, aigrette and ornaments of a distinctive sort. All BLACK hats of hemp and hair, prominently showing numidi trimmings

This Opening Will Demonstrate the Last Word in Trimming

—Exquisite novelties in ribbon; marvelous combinations of flowers, beautifully tinted; wondrously shaded ostrich feathers—these for the hats that are apart from solid white creations, and

Wright-Metzler Original Modes:

Decidedly Attractive Prices

—both will demonstrate that we are well able to uphold an enviable record of distinctive creations at very moderate prices. Every hat has the "finesse" that only can be given by the hands of millinery artists—and better talent will not be found in work-rooms anywhere.

Millinery room, 2nd floor, Wright-Metzler Company.

Wednesday, May 21st, ALL Colored WOOL SUITS FOR WOMEN At Exactly HALF-PRICE

A REMARKABLE opportunity for women and girls to choose, without restriction, spring and summer wool suits in black, the many shades of blue, gray, all the different two tones, shepherd checks and stripe effects and pay just HALF the low, fair price plainly marked on each ticket.

And right in the middle of May, with a long wearing season ahead! July is the usual time for selling the remainder of suits in stock at half, but the in-come of an enlarged stock of wash suits, dresses and other mid-summer apparel calls for the cases that wool suits occupy; hence this HALF PRICE movement which comes earlier than we've known it here or anywhere.

ALL Are Fresh Suits of the Highest Type and in the Styles of Today

Our stock of women's suits is probably the largest in Connellsville, and the FINEST if the preference of our many critical patrons is an indication. Quality is ever the key note of our suit collection and naturally, refined, good taste is a close associate of quality as is evidenced by the smart models in this collection.

Women on the spot when the sale opens Wednesday morning, May 21st, will probably be surprised at the great number of suits they will choose from. Variety is kept up the season through which will account for the very complete range of colors, sizes, fabrics and price.

FIND	the most fashionable models made—Cutaway: Draped; Blousoned—or conservatively plain; in plain French striped or satinet; buttoned, cord, wool sponge, diamond, printed fabrics, impregnated mixtures and wavers—all vouched for by Wright-Metzler Company as to quality, workmanship, style.
FIND	black, all the best shades of blue, the many shades of tan, two-tone and gray—the wanted colors of this season.
FIND	models and colors and correct for spring wearing sizes 12, 15, 17 and 19; Misses wearing 14, 16, 18; Women wearing 34 to 44; regular and between sizes 35 to 47. No white suits included.
FIND	Actual \$15.00 Suits—Half Price will be \$7.50
FIND	Actual \$16.50 Suits—Half Price will be \$8.25
FIND	Actual \$19.75 Suits—Half Price will be \$9.88
FIND	Actual \$22.50 Suits—Half Price will be \$11.25
FIND	Actual \$25.00 Suits—Half Price will be \$12.50
FIND	Actual \$29.75 Suits—Half Price will be \$14.88
FIND	Actual \$32.50 Suits—Half Price will be \$16.25
FIND	Actual \$35.00 Suits—Half Price will be \$17.50
FIND	Actual \$37.50 Suits—Half Price will be \$18.75
FIND	Actual \$39.75 Suits—Half Price will be \$19.88
FIND	Actual \$45.00 Suits—Half Price will be \$22.50
FIND	Actual \$50.00 Suits—Half Price will be \$25.00
FIND	Actual \$57.50 Suits—Sale Price will be \$28.75

A nominal charge must necessarily be made for alterations.



Wright-Metzler Co., Connellsville

L. F. RUTH BUYS MORE GREENE COUNTY COAL

Increases His Holdings in Wayne and Gilmore Townships; Speculation Continues Quite Active.

Greene County coal continues active in smaller lots. Several large deals by operating interests are still pending. There is a disposition on the part of some of these prospective buyers to wait and see what Washington is going to do to the steel an iron business in raw material, but others indicate a purpose to close up dealing in coal as soon as possible, though it may be further for now.

L. F. Ruth, the Connellsville banker, has added 180 acres to his holdings in Gilmore and Wayne townships. The purchase was made from William F. Patterson and the price paid was \$275 per acre, making a consideration of \$45,000. Mr. Ruth bought 890 acres from Mr. Patterson in the same locality December 9, last, paying approximately \$350,000. Together with some 900 acres acquired last summer, this makes Mr. Ruth's holdings in this field over 2,000 acres. He bought for investment. He is not only a banker, but a coal operator of experience and a judge of the value of coal.

SCHOOLS ARE FIRE-TRAPS.

Uncle Sam Warns Authorities to Take Proper Precautions.

Special to The Courier.

WASHINGTON, May 21.—School houses that are firetraps continue to be erected throughout the country, despite past tragedies and the United States Bureau of Education today appealed for better construction of buildings in which youths are educated.

Ohio, Massachusetts and Kansas are the only states given credit for seeking safer construction and better safeguards against fire-hazards in schools.

The remainder of the country, the bureau says, fails to take necessary precautions.

Is a Father at 70.

PHILADELPHIA, May 21.—Lee Quadrangle, 70, is the proud father of a 12 pound boy. Mrs. Quadrangle is but fifteen years old, and was the adopted daughter of the old man's first wife.

Do You Want Help?

T. J. Wiescarver of Waynesburg, holds to J. V. Thompson of Uniontown five acres and 87 perches of coal in Morris township; considera-

When You Flirted With Death, Would You Smile Like Billy Liesaw Does?</h3